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JUST FORCED TO COME DOWN

Reader Will See That Smith's Reason for Descent Was an Entirely Good One.

Here is a story that was told by Congressman James C. Cantrill of Kentucky the other afternoon in illustrating a remark on the force of necessity:

Recently Smith hired a horse for a canter along the pike, but the animal, being neither a sweet nature nor a great desire to work strenuously, began to buck, and the rider was ungracefully thrown through the air and dropped by the wayside.

"Hello, Smith," smilingly remarked a friend the following day: "I saw you out horseback yesterday."

"You did?" responded Smith, beginning to wonder a bit.

"Yes," continued the other, his smile broadening. "What made you drop down so quickly?"

"Case of necessity," answered Smith. Did you see anything up where I was to hold on to?"

Strict Neutrality.

Little Betty was in the habit of praying for her naughty playmate Tommy. One evening she omitted to mention him. Asked by her mother why she did so, the child replied: "He was howling to me today. He flew mud in my face. So I won't ask God to bless him."

Her mother tucked her in bed, and then went into the next room, leaving the door open.

She heard Betty toss restlessly about for five or ten minutes. Then there was a snuffle; then a sound of getting up, and, finally, a furtive voice: "Please, God, you can't bless Tommy if you want to—but you needn't do it on my account."

Use for the Copper.

A policeman, with more than usual avoirdupois and expanse of shoe leather, had just passed a little terrace house, with a bit of garden in front, when a little boy ran after him.

"Halloa, kiddies," said the copper, genially; "what can I do for you?"

"Mother sent me out," answered the youngster, "to ask you if you would mind walking up and down our path for a minute or two. It's just been graveled, and we ain't got a roller."

Location.

"What was the weight of that fish you were talking about all summer?" "Which fish?" inquired the unblushing boaster. "The one I had on my line or the one I only had on my mind?"

Home, Sweet Home.

"Home is where the heart is," remarked the sentimentalist.

"That's right," replied the ordinary person. "You can always tell what town a man is from by observing what ball club he roots for."

STATE CAPITAL HAPPENINGS

Oklahoma City.

Concerning the custody of the Morrill fund, a federal donation to the agricultural schools of the state, over which a quarrel has been going on between State Treasurer W. L. Alexander and F. M. Gault, president of the state board of agriculture, Attorney General S. P. Freeling announced that, following a conference, his department would render an opinion.

Unofficially the attorney general said that the fund is one that annually is placed in the hands of the treasurer of the state by the federal government to be delivered by him to the treasurer of the state agricultural board, or to be checked upon by the latter. "The question arises," he added, "is there a treasurer of the state agricultural board?"

The same question was propounded by State Treasurer Alexander, who exhibited a record showing that F. M. Gault had been elected treasurer of the state agricultural board, at a meeting of that board held in Muskogee, October 9, 1913, accompanied by a surety bond of \$20,000.

In this connection Alexander exhibited a letter, or copy of a letter, written by Assistant Attorney General R. E. Wood, to J. D. Sample of Atoka, in response to the latter's inquiry as to whether one person can hold two offices at the same time in the state of Oklahoma. Attorney Wood's reply embraced a reproduction of Section 4274, revised laws of 1910, reading: "Except as may be otherwise provided, no persons holding any office under the laws of the state, and no deputy or any officer so holding any office, shall, during his term of office, hold any other office, or be the deputy of any officer holding any other office, under the laws of the state."

Mr. Wood advised that such a case would have to be determined by the courts.

State Tax Levy Is 3.5 Mills.

The state tax levy for the fiscal year of 1915 was fixed at three and one-half mills by the state board of equalization at a called session. Of this three mills are for state purposes, of which one mill is to go to the covering of deficiencies amounting to about \$1,750,000, one-fourth mill will be applied to highways and one-fourth mill to schools.

When the board had taken this action State Treasurer W. L. Alexander announced that the state is now almost on a cash basis, being only about thirty or forty days behind. "If court holds that the gross production tax law is legal, the state will be on a cash basis."

The board adjourned to November 1, subject to call in the interim by the vice chairman.

Renewed Loans Must Be Reduced

A number of loan applications which will be presented to the school land commission for approval have been materially curtailed as to amount by Secretary of State J. L. Lyon, the pruned knife being especially applied to applications for renewal of loans.

"We are requesting these applicants for renewals to reduce the amount asked for from ten to fifteen per cent," said the secretary. "We are doing this as a precautionary measure especially in cases wherein the security is not regarded gilt-edge. The appraisers are becoming cognizant of the board's disposition toward applications that few of the applications are regarded as unreasonable."

Odd Fellows Elect Officers.

Oklahoma City.—The election of officers for the ensuing year featured the final sessions of the grand lodge of Oklahoma Odd Fellows. The following were chosen for the officers: Grand master, E. E. Norvell, Wynnewood; deputy grand master, S. X. Swinme, Tallhina; grand warden, Logan Hawkins, Tonkawa; grand secretary, G. W. Bruce, Guthrie; grand treasurer, G. W. Schlegel, Chandler; grand representative, two years, A. S. J. Shaw, Altus; grand representative, one year, A. N. Leecraft, Colbert; grand trustee, George Morgan, Crescent; member of home board, A. T. Whitworth, Carmen.

Two May Die Oct. 29 In Electric Chair

Unless the criminal court of appeals reverses their conviction or Governor Williams commutes their sentences Rich Moorehead and Henry Brookman, both negroes, will be put to death in the electric chair at McAlester on October 29. The men were both under sentence to die October 6, but an extension was granted by the governor in order that the criminal court of appeals might review the record in the cases of both men to determine whether they have received a fair trial. Both have been convicted of murder.

Seals Back Without Contesting

Buddy Seals, wanted here for implication in the murder of J. H. McDonald and under arrest at Douglas, Ariz., submitted to being returned to Oklahoma City for trial without fighting extradition. He was brought back by W. D. Witcher, deputy sheriff. C. F. Culbertson, Bard More, and Tom Morgan, the other men charged with the murder of McDonald, a druggist, pleaded guilty and are serving life sentences in the state penitentiary at McAlester.

Tuition Fees for Foreign Students.

Tuition fees to be paid by nonresident pupils attending state institutions of learning in Oklahoma, coming from other states, that require payment of tuition fees by non-residents were announced by R. H. Wilson, president of the state board of education. The fees were arrived at by the committee to which this work was delegated by the state board of education by striking an average from the schedules of other states.

For the state university tuition in any and all schools and colleges is fixed at \$25 a year in advance, except for the third and fourth year in the medical school, for which the tuition rate is \$50 a year.

For the School of Mines at Wilburton the fee is \$20 a year.

For the University Preparatory schools the fee is \$15 for the regular term, and \$5 for the summer session. For the various state normal schools the fee for the regular term is placed at \$15 and \$5 for the summer term.

Under the law affecting this matter there is a reciprocal provision whereby students from states which do not make a charge against non-resident pupils will not be charged any fee by Oklahoma institutions.

Expiration Pardons.

Expiration pardons have been granted by Gov. R. L. Williams as follows:

Al Krouse, Kay county, burglary, three years; Frank Winfrey, Logan county, shooting with intent to kill, three and one-half years; John Williams, Craig county, obtaining property by bogus check, one year; R. W. Jefferson, Kiowa county, forgery, seven years; Felix Scott, Washita, embezzlement, one year; Ed Lee Mason, Okmulgee county, burglary, three years; Caldwell Walker, Wagoner county, false pretense, three years; Benton Murray, Greer county, assault to kill, one year; Joe Creamans, Pittsburg county, assault to commit rape, three years; W. C. Harlin, Tulsa county, forgery, one year; Roy Smith, Blaine county, assault with dangerous weapon, one year; John Mensberger, Marshall county, burglary, three years; Vernon Thistle, Logan county, burglary, two years; and C. L. McLeod, Payne county, stealing domestic animals, two years.

Paroles Granted By Gov. Williams

Paroles have been granted by Gov. R. L. Williams, as follows:

J. P. Smith, Muskogee county, September, 1914, violation of prohibitory laws, sixty days in jail, fine \$100; Ed Mingo, Bryan county, August, 1915, violation of prohibitory laws, fine \$50 and thirty days in jail; John Williams, Rogers county, January, 1914, robbery, five years; Arch Blakley, Garvin county, May, 1915, petit larceny, fine \$100, thirty days; U. R. Fox, Dewey county, July, 1915, violation of prohibitory laws, fine \$50 and thirty days; Will Reynolds, LeFlore county, January, 1915, violation of prohibitory laws, fine \$200 and six months imprisonment; L. Schwartz, Garfield county, June, 1914, false pretenses, five years; T. H. Martin, embezzlement, Marshall county, September, 1913, one year and one day; William Vanette, violation of prohibitory laws, Noble county, July, 1912, fine \$175 and sentenced to six months imprisonment.

Howard to Follow Posted Oil Price.

State Auditor E. B. Howard has addressed a circular letter to all oil producers in the state notifying them that in computing the gross production tax on oil the computation will be based upon the posted price of oil during the period the taxes cover.

In his letter Mr. Howard says: "In computing this tax I call attention to the fact that the posted prices of oil per barrel during the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1915, were as follows:

"From July 1 to August 2, inclusive, 40c; August 3 to August 4, inclusive, 50c; August 5 to August 11, inclusive, 55c; August 12 to August 19, inclusive, 60c; August 20 to August 21, inclusive, 65c; August 22 to September 10, inclusive, 75c; September 11 to September 30, inclusive, 80c.

Negro Gets \$1,500 Compensation.

The state industrial commission awarded \$6 per week compensation for a term of 250 weeks to Alf Brewer, a negro employee of the Pine Belt Lumber Company at Fort Towson, who recently was caught in the machinery of the company's mill and lost his right arm. This is the first claim presented to the board that was not settled by agreement. Brewer will receive \$1,500.

For the first month to date that the compensation law has been in effect 355 accidents have been reported, but claims will be coming in for ten days after the end of the month pertaining to September accidents, and the members of the commission believe that the total number of accidents for the month likely will reach 500.

Raise Salaries.

Some forty or more teachers and employees, recommended by J. W. Blattner, new superintendent of the state school for the deaf at Sulphur, were approved by the state board of education. There was a sharp salary increase all along the line. The increase in the literary and industrial departments is from \$15,980 last year to \$17,835, a raise of \$1,855. The payroll for the other employees was increased about \$200.

OKLAHOMA NEWS NOTES

SHADOWS OF COMING EVENTS.

Oct. 13-15, School land sale, Perry.

Nov. 8-12—School Land Sale, Major County.

Nov. 13-17—School Land Sale, Blaine County.

Nov. 16—Cornerstone laying, Oklahoma Capitol Building.

Nov. 18-20—School Land Sale, Canadian County.

Nov. 22-23—School Land Sale, Lincoln County.

Nov. 25, Shriner's State Ceremonial, Oklahoma City.

Nov. 25-27—State Educational Association, Oklahoma City.

Nov. 28-Dec. 3—School Land Sale, Kingfisher County.

Dec. 6-8—School Land Sale, Logan County.

Dec. 9-11—School Land Sale, Cleveland County.

Dec. 13-15—School Land Sale, Oklahoma County.

Dec. 21-Jan. 1, Eastern Oklahoma Foul-weather Show, Tulsa.

March 3-8—Livestock Show, Oklahoma City.

Football Games

Oct. 12—Methodists at Kendall

Oct. 13—Kendall at A. & M.

Oct. 15—Kingfisher at Edmond.

Oct. 16—State University at Muskogee.

Oct. 22—Weatherford at Edmond.

Oct. 23—State U. at Texas U.

Oct. 28—Alva at Kendall.

Oct. 29—Edmond at Ada.

Oct. 30—Kansan U. at State U.

Nov. 21—Southern Normal vs. Edmond, at Oklahoma City.

Nov. 6—State U. at Kendall.

Nov. 13—State U. at Arkansas U.

Nov. 13—Pittsburg Normal at Kendall.

Nov. 19—State U. at Kansas Agricultural.

Nov. 19—Edmond at Phillips U.

Nov. 20—Arkansas U. at Kendall.

Nov. 20—State U. vs. Aggies, Oklahoma City.

R. H. Allen, a Garfield county stock and wheat raiser, committed suicide last week by hanging himself.

Building permits for \$132,745 worth of building improvements in Oklahoma City is the record established for the month of September.

Lincoln Bennett died from the effects of gas in a well thirty-two feet deep which Bennett was digging on his farm ten miles west of Chickasha.

J. F. Limerick, convicted of practicing surgery without a license, was fined \$100, at Durant. He will appeal the decision of the county court.

Frederick W. Hawley, of Tulsa, widely known in Presbyterian educational circles, was elected president of Park college of Parkville, Mo.

M. L. Fife, vice-president of the First National bank of Blackwell and one of the most prominent gas and oil men of Oklahoma, died of apoplexy last week.

The first report of the Creek county grand jury under the new dispensation was an accusation against M. S. Gooch, town trustee of Drumright.

District Judge E. B. Hughes immediately suspended Gooch from office.

Work has just been started upon the two new factory buildings in which will be centered all manufacturing institutions at the state penitentiary. The buildings will be of equal size, 75x200 feet in dimensions, three stories high with basements.

With nine state educational institutions competing for first honors at the Oklahoma State Fair, the Northwestern State normal school of Alva has been awarded the coveted prize. The exhibits were all elaborate and some of the schools made exceptionally fine showings.

Having passed the 25,000 mark in issuance of tags and receipt of applications for automobile licenses, State Highway Commissioner George Noble says he is certain the total number of tags issued for the year will exceed 30,000. Applications are coming in at the rate of 150 a day.

The Muskogee Coffee Company, of which B. B. Rice is president, filed a petition of voluntary bankruptcy in the United States court. The company's debts are listed at \$4,131.84, and the assets are given at \$9,000, of which \$7,500 is an insurance policy that may be contested.

A petition is being circulated at Durant and almost unanimously signed, asking that an election be called for the election of a board of freeholders to prepare a charter for a commission form of municipal government for this city.

The state industrial commission awarded Alph Brewer, negro, compensation at the rate of \$6 per week for 250 weeks for the loss of an arm. He was employed by the Pine Belt Lumber Company at Fort Towson and it was while employed there that he sustained the injury. This is the first case to be heard by the commission and the first award of compensation it has made.

Yeggmen blew open the safe in the Maud State Bank, secured approximately \$4,000 and escaped. Citizens who were awakened by the first explosion assert that three other explosions followed. The safe was completely wrecked. Maud is in Seminole county, and a posse of officers is following the robbers east toward Wevoda, the county seat. Four men are believed to have constituted the party of yeggmen.

With twenty-three towns represented the Negro State Postmaster's Association was organized in Oklahoma City. Caesar F. Simmons, postmaster at Coley, was elected president, and Williams Brooks of Brooks-ville was named as secretary. Postmasters from the following towns in Oklahoma compose the membership of the organization: Coley, Brooks-ville, Crayson, Langston, Tathum, Red Bird, Vernor, Tabor, Lima, Clear View, Lewisville, Taft, Reutis-ville, Ran, Tullahasse, Ark, Haynes, Mybark, Gibson, Wallace, Ferguson.

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Question of Time. Uncle Ozias Pike cleared his throat, shifted his quid, seized his chance to get a word in edgewise and began:

"About the war—"

A murmur of protest checked him. But again he began:

"About the war—"

When a dozen determined men drew in breath with a hissing sound, such as the snake makes before it strikes, you know what it means. Uncle Ozias knew what it meant. But he did not lack courage. Again seizing his moment, he exclaimed:

"About the war—"

"Shut up about the war!"

"Shut up about it yourselves," shouted Uncle Ozias in return. "About—th—war—tee—deed—them—Smith—gals—wuz—t—giv—ye—on—th—skule—hus—lot—they—won't—giv—ye—none—goll—durn—ye—an—serves—ye—right!"—Judge.

His Turn Coming.

"Why do you go out rowing with that man? He thinks it's funny to rock the boat."

"I've heard so," replied the athletic girl. "I took a dislike to him the first time I saw him, and I'm just dying for an excuse to hit him over the head with an oar."—Washington Star.

The Rupture.

Knicker—Fire the cook?

Bocker—Well, we handed her her passports.—New York Sun.

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